



March 21, 2016

The Honorable Thomas Wheeler
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: MB Docket No. 13-249, "In the Matter of Revitalization of the AM Radio Service"

Dear Chairman Wheeler:

The National League Champion New York Mets are proud to have built a loyal and energetic fan base throughout the Tri-State area and beyond. Our fans mean everything to us, and thousands of them are able to listen to our games on the New York Mets Radio Network, which consists of 9 radio affiliates and 2 FM translators. Seven AM radio stations serve as the backbone of our Network, led by our Flagship station, WOR 710, as well as our Spanish flagship, WEPN 1050. AM radio has partnered with the Mets to deliver our games to our fans for decades, and this partnership continues to serve our team and our fans exceptionally well.

With this in mind, we are greatly concerned that the FCC might adopt rules that could cause increased interference for on AM radio stations, including both of our Flagship stations. As a Class A "clear channel" station, WOR is uniquely capable of reaching our fans who live hundreds of miles away. We understand the Commission has suggested to allow greater interference to Class A stations, including WOR, potentially degrading the signal quality and afternoon and nighttime listening experience of our fans in more remote areas, as well as local fans throughout the day. It would be intolerable for our fans, as well as for the New York Mets, and we seek your assurance that we can continue to rely on AM radio to continue to deliver a strong, interference-free signal to our fans, and provide them with continued access to free, live coverage of our games.

We urge you to not adopt any proposal that interferes with our local and remotely located fans' ability to continue to listen to Mets games. I hope you will ensure that this proposal does not move forward.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "David P. Cohen".

David P. Cohen
Executive Vice President & Chief Legal Officer